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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICTUNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Plaintiff,

v

JEFFREY D REUTER
Defendant.

Case: 4:21 CR425 RWS-DDN

MOTION FOR ORDERS WHICH COMPEL PRODUCTION OF EVIDENCE;
RELEASE DEFENDANT OR TRANSFER DEFENDANT TO A SAFE FACILITY;
AND CAUSE AN INVESTIGATION INTO AN ASSAULT ON DEFENDANT
BY OFFICERS AT THE CRAWFORD COUNTY JAIL

Comes now, JEFFREY D REUTER, Defendant for his
motion for the above stated orders and he states:

On December 24, 2021, Defendant was assaulted by
two officers at the Crawford County Jail where Defendant
is detained. The details of the assault can be provided
to the Court via an Order that compels Lt. Tommy Peart of
the Crawford County Jail to furnish to the Court all
correspondence between Lt. Peart and Defendant since
December 24, 2021, reports regarding the assault, and
relevant video of the assault.

Defendant asked that Lt. Peart contact the
U.S. Marshals and request an investigation into the assault
by either the U.S. Marshals or FBI. If she has not granted
Defendant's request, Defendant asks the Court to order an
investigation.

Defendant has sustained injuries from the assault. Crawford County Jail is not a safe facility for detainees. For his well being, Defendant asks for pretrial release, or at the very least, for the U.S. Marshalls to transfer Defendant from Crawford County Jail to a safe facility.

For the above reasons, Defendant asks for an order to compel the Crawford County Jail administration to produce evidence of the assault on Defendant on December 26, 2021, an order which causes the release or transfer of Defendant, and an order which causes an investigation into the assault on Defendant.

Sincerely,
JD Kenter
Jeffrey D Kenter

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EASTERN DIVISION OF MISSOURI

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DEFENDANT'S MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR
ORDERS TO COMPEL PRODUCTION OF EVIDENCE, RELEASE DEFENDANT OR
TRANSFER DEFENDANT TO A SAFE FACILITY, AND CAUSE AN INVESTIGATION
INTO AN ASSAULT ON DEFENDANT BY OFFICERS AT THE CRAWFORD
COUNTY JAIL

On December 26, 2021, between the hours of 5 pm and 8 pm, inside the Crawford County Jail in Steelville, Missouri, Defendant and federal detainee, Jeffrey D Reuter was apprehended by Officer Jarich and Officer Richard in B Pod in front of Defendant's cell, B13/16. Defendant was placed in handcuffs with his hands behind his back. Defendant did not resist.

Defendant was escorted by Officer Jarich and Officer Richard from B Pod to Cell 5, located across from the booking desk. Upon entering Cell 5, Defendant saw, on his left, a hole in the floor with metal bars over the top of it, feces on the floor next to the hole, and toilet tissue containing feces lying next to the hole and atop the bars over the hole. Defendant said to Officer Jarich and Officer Richard, "I can't stay here, there's shit on the floor." Officer Jarich advanced Defendant forward and said, "Get on your knees." Defendant said, "I'm not getting on my knees. There's shit

on the floor." Officer Torick repeated his order. Defendant replied, "no." Officer Torick and Officer Richard then forced Defendant forward and down onto a cement platform that stood approximately three feet high. Defendant was pinned down by both officers as Officer Torick removed the handcuffs from Defendant. Officer Torick ordered Defendant to put his hands on his head, one by one, as he removed the handcuffs and ordered Defendant to remain in that position until Officer Torick and Officer Richard exited the cell. Defendant complied.

Since Defendant didn't physically resist the officers at any point, and Defendant doesn't have a history of violence at the Crawford County Jail or elsewhere, it's logical to conclude that Officer Torick could have removed the handcuffs while Defendant was standing, and the officers could have exited the cell without incident. However, Officer Torick and Officer Richard employed strong arm tactics which injured Defendant's back. The extent of the injuries is unknown as Defendant's requests to see a doctor have not been granted. Defendant has multiple symptoms of dysfunction in his back that were not present prior to the assault.

Officer Torick and Officer Richard were made aware by Defendant that there was feces on the floor of Cell 5, yet they escorted Defendant into the cell anyway. Officer Torick ordered Defendant to get on his knees having been told a second time by Defendant that there was feces on the floor. Defendant was then assaulted by Officer Torick and Officer Richard and confined to a filthy cell for an unknown length of time. Defendant was denied access to a bathroom located approximately twenty feet from Cell 5 by Officer Broom

and advised by Officer Broom that defecation would have to be executed by squatting over the hole inside the cell. The behavior of the Crawford County Jail officers was barbaric, and the conditions that Defendant was subjected to were inhumane.

In this case, Defendant is being held in jail before trial even though there isn't evidence to convict him. Defendant's court appointed attorneys have prolonged Defendant's detention in jail by ignoring Defendant's pleas to file documents and to schedule a trial. The Court, itself, and its officers have falsified documents and fabricated lies in order to support a detention order. And now, Defendant has been assaulted and injured by officers at the Crawford County Jail. This seems like a system of justice one could expect in N. Korea, not the United States of America.

Evidence of the assault that Defendant believes the Court needs to see is:

- Video from December 26, 2021 5 pm until December 27, 2021 5 am inside the Crawford County Jail from the camera in B Pod, from the camera in Cell 5 located across from the booking desk, and from all cameras located between B Pod and Cell 5, including any camera which covers the officer side of the booking desk
- All communications between Lt. Peart of the Crawford County Jail and Defendant from December 26, 2021 to date.

Defendant wishes to press charges against Officer Irick and Officer Richard. Defendant asks that the Court assist him in this matter by contacting the proper authorities and ordering Lt. Peart to hand over the evidence specified above to the Court and to the proper authorities and to Defendant.

The situation is worsening by the day. Officer Broom and Officer Poe withheld Defendant's medication December 30, 2021 and December 31, 2021. Please help.

Sincerely,

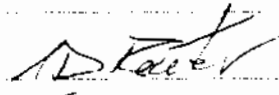
T. D. Reuter

Jeffrey D Reuter

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that on January 17, 2022, the foregoing was hand delivered to Crawford County Jail staff in an addressed envelope to be stamped by Crawford County Jail staff and mailed to:

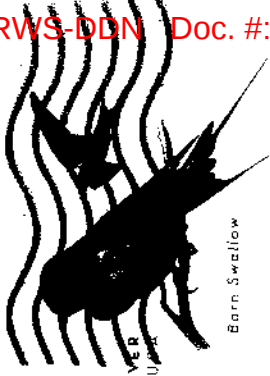
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